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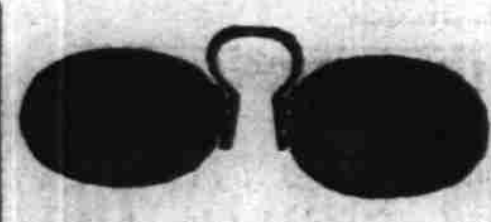
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In Business Circles--News and Review

MANAGER OGG SAYS IT'S FREE SUGAR ONE YEAR

Private Secretary Desha Ap-
parently Sleeping on Job
in the Capitol

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ogg who re-
turned from the mainland in the Mat-
sonia proceeded toward their home at
Pahala in the same steamer Thursday.
Mr. Ogg is manager of the Hawaiian
Agricultural Company and some time
ago suffered a broken leg by his horse
falling on him. His trip was taken
partly for special treatment of the
injury.

"From all that I learned on the
sugar question while away," Mr. Ogg
said to a Star-Bulletin reporter at
the steamer, "free sugar will go into
effect and continue in force for at least
one year.

"As to the mainland beet sugar in-
dustry, the state of Michigan is go-
ing completely out of it on account
of the tariff and I understand that 14
factories in California are closing
down.

"I visited the delegate's office in the
capitol but the secretary was not in
attendance. It appeared as if he had
not been there for a week or more,
as there were sacks of mail lying there
unopened."

ASSURANCE OF BUMPER CROPS

While anticipating a wheat harvest
in Kansas, Nebraska, Missouri, Okla-
homa and Texas of more than 300-
000,000 bushels—100,000,000 more than
last year—we may also take comfort
in the reported prospects of a corre-
sponding bumper fruit crop. To some,
who have been inclined to view the
situation at short range, knowing that
peaches have suffered some damage,
this may bring surprise. It is the
statement, nevertheless, of the Cham-
ber of Commerce of the United States,
with headquarters at Washington,
made after an accurate survey of the
country. To be sure, peaches and per-
haps some other fruits have been dam-
aged in sections. In the Ozark re-
gions of Missouri, it is said, there has
been a 75 per cent loss, and yet as a
whole conditions both of citrus and
deciduous fruit as such as to warrant
the chamber in sending forth the
statement that the fruit crop will be
an exceedingly heavy one.

Nor do these blessings end with
wheat and fruit. About everything
else that grows promises equally
well. The fact is, judging from the
present outlook, we are facing one of
the richest years the country has ever
known. This undoubtedly will have
its effect on the general conservatism
of the prevailing commercial status.
Another vital feature suggested is the
matter of transportation facilities. Are
we to come up to these gigantic har-
vests only to hear the old cry of "car
shortage?" Already railroads are said
to be distributing cars over their sys-
tems in the West, preparatory to the
demands soon to set in. This should
be done as a general thing so far as
possible to give us the full advantage
of the soil's productions.—Omaha Bee.

THE GERMS IN MILK

Living bodies, both great and small,
are usually found in a definite place.
The bacteria found in milk are, indeed,
a mixed collection. The fact that cer-
tain organisms are frequently found
in milk does not necessarily mean
that they originate in the udder, but
rather directs the search toward the
focus of infection from which they
find their way into the secretion of
the mammary gland. It is known
that, while the colon group is frequent-
ly found in water and milk, its natural
habitat is the intestinal tract of warm-
blooded animals. The experts of the
dairy division of the bureau of Ani-
mal Industry in Washington have been
investigating the sources from which
the streptococci may gain entrance
into milk. The foremost possibilities
are: Contamination with feces which
must always be considered as a possi-
ble source of contamination; the pres-
ence in the herd of one or more cows
with infected udders and the cow's
mouth, which is known to contain
streptococci. Its habit of licking the
stanks and udder provides a more or
less direct connection between the
mouth of the cow and the milkpail.—
Journal of American Medical Associa-
tion.

Lots of people would rather send a
dollar to the heathen than give the
poor a pleasant look.

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INCREASE OF STOCK SALES WITH ABSENCE OF BOND DEALS LEAVES WEEK NET DECREASE

Although the week on the stock ex-
change was one of the duller in some
time the sales of stocks exceeded those
of the previous week by \$612,25. As
no bonds were sold, as compared with
proceeds of \$750 the previous week,
the transactions as a whole show a
decrease of \$137.75. For the six days
ending yesterday 669 shares in five
stocks sold for \$900,37 1/2, as com-
pared with 624 shares in five stocks
for \$836,12 1/2 during the six days
ending Friday of last week. Three
stocks declined in price, while one
gained and one was steady, as compar-

ed with last sale quotations before last
Saturday's session. Following are the
details:
Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar Co.,
125 shares for \$320,25; 27,25 and
25,25; decline, 3/4 point.
Oahu Railway & Land Co., 20 shares
for \$200; 125, unchanged.
Oahu Sugar Co., 55 shares for
\$743,12 1/2; 13,50 and 13,62 1/2; gain,
1 1/2 point.
Olaa Sugar Co., 410 shares for \$669;
1,50, decline, 1/8 point.
Pala Plantation Co., 20 shares for
\$1900; 95, declined, 2 1/2.

WEEKLY PRODUCE REPORT

BY E. V. WILCOX

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EGGS AND POULTRY.

Fresh chicken eggs, doz., 45; fresh
duck eggs, doz., 30; hens, lb., 25;
roosters, lb., 30 to 32 1/2; broilers, lb.,
35 to 40; turkeys, lb., 35; ducks, Mus-
covy, lb., 30; ducks, Hawaiian, doz.,
\$6.00.

LIVE STOCK.

Live weight—Hogs, 100 to 150 lbs.,
lb., 13; hogs, 150 lbs. and over, lb., 12.
Dressed weight—Pork, lb., 16 to 18;
mutton, lb., 10; beef, lb., 9 to 10;
calves, 12.

POTATOES.

Irish, 100 lbs., \$1.60; sweet, red, 100
lbs., \$1.25; sweet, yellow, 100 lbs.,
\$1.25; sweet, white, 100 lbs., \$1.25.

ONIONS.

New Bermudas, lb., .03.

VEGETABLES.

Beans, string, lb., .02 1/2 to .03;
beans, lima in pod, lb., .03; beets, doz.
bunches, 30; cabbage, lb., .02 1/2;
carrots, doz. bunches, 40; celery,
crate, 75; corn, sweet, 100 ears, \$1 to
\$2; cucumbers, doz., 25; green peas
lb., .06; peppers, bell, lb., .04 to .06;
peppers, Chile, lb., .04; pumpkin, lb.,
.01 to .01 1/4; rhubarb, lb., .05; toma-
toes, lb., .01 1/2 to .02; turnips, white,
lb., .02; watermelons, each, 25 to .50.

FRESH FRUIT.

Bananas, Chinese, bunch, 25 to 40;
bananas, cooking, bunch, 25 to 30;
figs, 100, 55; grapes, Isabella, lb., .08;
oranges, Hawaiian, 100, \$1.50; limes,
Mexican, 100, 75; pineapples, doz., 50
to .85; strawberries, lb., 15 to 20.

GRAIN.

Corn, small yellow, ton, \$40; corn,
large, ton, \$38.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Charcoal, bag, 35; hides, wet salted
—No. 1, lb., 14 1/2; No. 2, lb., 15 1/2;
kips, lb., 14 1/2; sheep skins, each,
20; goat skins, each, 15.

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RAILROAD SUBSIDIES IN DOMINION OF CANADA

After considerable deliberation, the
Canadian ministry has decided to ex-
tend further aid to the Canadian
Northern railway system in the form
of a governmental guarantee of \$45-
000,000 of the railway company's
bonds, covering the actual payment
of the interest for three years, which
the railway is to repay. The agree-
ment, which is to embrace all the sub-
sidiary properties of the system, in-
cludes a reduction of the Canadian
Northern's share capital from \$145-
000,000 to \$100,000,000, of which the
government is to receive \$33,000,000
obtaining also representation upon
the company's board. It is provided
that the government shall be given a
mortgage upon all the properties, and
that the fund raised from the sale of
the bonds shall be controlled and ex-
pended under official supervision, the
prompt payment of \$25,000,000 of cur-
rent obligations being among the
specified requirements. Further pro-
vision is made that all the export traf-
fic carried by the road shall be rou-
ted via Canadian ports exclusively, and
there is to be an agreement for the
interchange of business with the gov-
ernment-owned intercolonial road. The
above arrangement seems to provide
amply for the completion of the Cana-
dian Northern's extension to the
Pacific and the other branches of the
system, and although it will encounter
vigorous opposition when submitted
for ratification by the Dominion par-
liament, the indications are that the
necessities of the case will lead to its
approval.—Bradstreet's.

A THOROUGH JOB.

Mrs. Flatbrush—"And you think
your little boy steals your pies?"
Mrs. Bensonhurst—"Somebody does,
and I suspect Tommie."
"Well, there's a way you can tell."
"How?"
"By the thumb prints."
"Oh, no! I can't! When Tommie
gets through with a pie there aren't
any thumb prints."—Yonkers States-
man.

SPORTING PROPOSITION.

"What makes you so confident that
you are in agreement with your con-
stituents on this proposition?"
"Well," replied Senator Sorghum,
"I have guessed 'em wrong four times
in succession. The law of averages
ought to begin to work by this time."
—Washington Star.

In a London church tower there is
a clock which strikes the hours and
quarters, but has no dials nor other
visible evidences of the time.

The defense bill introduced in the
Swedish Riksdag on May 23 includes
an extension of the period of military
service and the construction of eight
new battleships and sixteen destroy-
ers, for which there will be a special
levy of \$20,800,000.

A German patent has been issued
to a scientist of Berlin for a special
salt composition which behaves like
ice under skates, sleighs and skis.
Demonstrated on a rink in Berlin
scarcely anyone of the numerous vis-
itors who ventured upon the smooth
surface was aware of the fact that it
was salt and not ice upon which he
was enjoying himself.

STOCKHOLDERS WANT A NOISE LIKE DIVIDENDS

Local People Interested in
Lakeview No. 2 Oil Co.
Take Action

A meeting of local stockholders of
Lakeview No. 2 Oil Company was held
at the Young Thursday night, at which
more than 11,000 shares were repre-
sented. It was called by Mr. Lattin
to consider measures for obtaining
more definite reports from the direct-
ors than the circulars received in the
past few months, the absence of any
financial statement for eight months
being the particular grievance. The
circular and Oil Age reprints received
this week, as reported in Thursday's
Star-Bulletin, were discussed and re-
garded as satisfactory with reference
to physical conditions, but there was
only one opinion, and that disconcert-
ed, about the silence maintained on
the financial position of the company
and the definite prospect of dividends.
C. W. Ashford, who was chairman of
the meeting, J. Oswald Luttin and D.
Legan were ultimately appointed a
committee to address a letter to the
directors, requesting a financial state-
ment including the disposition of the
proceeds from a paying well brought
in some months before the rusher
was struck on May 19 that has been
flowing ever since at a rate given
out as all the way from 15,000 to 60-
000 barrels a day. Having taken this
action the meeting adjourned for one
month.

NOT A BIBLICAL NAME.

One day an old negro was brought
in from the mountain district under
accusation of maintaining an illicit
still. There was no real evidence
against him.

"What's your name, prisoner?" ask-
ed the Judge as he peered at the
shuffling black man.

"Mah name's Joshua, Judge," was
the reply.

"Joshua, eh?" said the Judge, as
he rubbed his hands. "Joshua, you
say? Are you that same Joshua spok-
en of in Holy Writ—the Joshua who
made the sun stand still?"

"No, Judge," was the hasty an-
swer, "twont me. Ah'm de Joshua
dat made de moon shine."—Excavat-
ing Engineer.

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